इन करारों का विषय मुख्यत: वैज्ञानिक, तकनीकी तथा प्रौद्योगिकी सहयोग व्यापार व आर्थिक सम्बन्ध, संस्कृति,, कला तथा खेल, राजनयिक तथा कोंसुली मामलों से सम्बन्धित था।

Purchase of Surh 01-27 Fighters from Russia by Pak

22. SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the Pakistani move to purchase long range air superiority SURH-01 27 fighters from Russia; and

(b) if so, the reaction of the Government of India thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Government have seen reports to this effect.

(b) Pakistan's continuous efforts to acquire sophisticated arms and equipment beyond its legitimate defence needs, is a cause of concern.

Government constantly monitors all developments having a bearing on India's security environment and take necessary steps to safeguard India's security.

Rural Representation in Diplomatic Core

23. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA:
SHRI MOHINDER SINGH LATHER:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names, qualifications and addresses of India's diplomatic representatives in other countries; and

(b) what are the percentage of the rural representation in the diplomatic core?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) Information is being collected and will be laid on the table of the House.

(b) The Ministry does not maintain separate records of officers belonging to the rural areas.

24. [*Transferred to the 29th April*, 1992]

Capital raised for Teak Wood Plantations

25. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI: Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some companies collected money under capital issues to raise funds for teak wood plantations;

(b) if so, whether they got approval from Government;

(c) what is the manner in which it is ensured that the prospectus issued is implemented;

(d) what steps are taken to safe-guard the interests of shareholders; and

(e) what are the companies that are allowed to go for capital issues?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARAMANGALAM): (a) and (b) Ministry of Finance has informed that according to readily available information in last one year (1-4-1991 to 31-3-1992), Controller of Capital Issues has not issued consent to any company for raising capital for teak wood plantations.

(c) The utilization of the proceeds of the Issues raised through the prospectus is monitored by the Financial Institutions under the directions of Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance. A copy of the prospectus is also filed with the Registrar of Companies under Section 56(3) of the Companies Act, 1956.